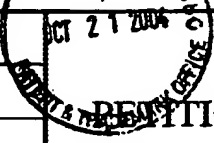


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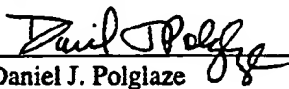
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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to submit the enclosed Appeal Brief. Appellant filed a Notice of Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on July 20, 2004. Appellant believes that the earliest date of receipt by the Patent Office of the Notice of Appeal was July 21, 2004, and therefore only a one month extension of time is required (MPEP 1206 states that the date for filing an appeal brief is two months from the actual date the Notice of Appeal is received at the Patent Office).

Three copies of this Appeal Brief are hereby filed on October 21, 2004, , and are accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$340.00 as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(c) and \$110.00 as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1). However, if Appellant is in error, authorization is hereby granted to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 501373.

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